

## City of Cincinnati

## **Board of Park Commissioners**

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## **MEDIA ALERT**

## KROHN CONSERVATORY CLOSING FOR PHASE IV RE-GLAZING PROJECT

WHO: Cincinnati Park Board

**WHAT:** For the fourth summer in a row, Krohn Conservatory will be closed to the public

while building renovation work takes place. The fourth phase of the re-glazing of the historic structure will begin on Monday, June 21, 2004, and will include re-glazing the Palm House, which is the largest greenhouse in the facility. The Krohn

Conservatory will reopen to the public on Saturday, October 23, 2004.

In addition to the re-glazing project, work will continue on the installation of the expanded orchid display. The project features a new setting for orchids in a replicated habitat of trees, rocks, vines, and a cascading water pool.

The Krohn Conservatory houses over 1,000 species of plants on display. The permanent collection includes tropical plants, orchids, bonsai and many unusual cacti and succulents.

WHEN: CLOSED MONDAY, JUNE 21 THROUGH FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2004

WHERE: Krohn Conservatory/Eden Park (1501 Eden Park Drive)

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